

# The Ocala Evening Star.

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## LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

Col. Hickman's lecture on temperance in Witness hall last night was the best we have heard yet. His audience was completely captivated, one moment convulsed with laughter, the next melted to tears. He is certainly a master of assemblies. As he described the ruinous effects of the liquor traffic his eyes dilated, his hoary locks seemed to stand on end, his commanding form shivered as if in pain, and the words fell from his eloquent lips like a shower of diamonds among his listeners. The people were so enthused and carried away with the lecture last night that they prevailed on Col. Hickman to lecture again next Monday night. There are no charges made for these lectures and we trust the hall will be crowded.

A Good Templars' lodge was organized last night with seventy members. The following officers were elected and installed: J. A. Mellon, Chief Templar; Mrs. Ditto, Vice Templar; Capt. Clary, Secretary; M. M. Little, Financial Secretary; Mrs. Thise, Treasurer; Rev. J. P. Hilburn, Chaplain; J. A. Munden, Mars hal; Miss Flora Anderson, Deputy Marshal; Mrs. Martin, Superintendent of Juvenile Templars; Henry Stevens, Sentinel; Miss Haines, Guard; Mr. Strump, Assistant Secretary; Dr. Frederick, Past Chief Templar; and Rev. J. E. Oates, Lodge Deputy. A committee consisting of M. M. Little, Revs. J. E. Oates and J. P. Hilburn was appointed to provide a hall for the permanent use of the lodge. It was voted to name the lodge "Hickman," in honor of Col. Hickman, the constituting officer. Rev. J. E. Oates was called upon to lead in a special prayer for the men who are to vote in the city election today. The prayer was an earnest pleading to Almighty God for a clean town and sober, upright men for office.

## A GRAND SUCCESS.

Up to date one million two hundred and eighty-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine persons have passed through the Atlanta exposition.

This is one of the greatest exhibitions ever held in the world, and many think it is fully up to the world's fair as a whole.

All who see it say they are agreeably surprised at the wonderful display.

This is the best thing that has happened for the south in many a day.

## THE CONCERT.

The Choral Society gives a concert next Thursday night, the 12th inst., in Marion opera house in stead of Witness hall.

The concert is to be given by home talent, and the admirers of good music may expect a great treat.

General admission, 25 cents; reserved seats, 50 cents.

## MEDICAL SOCIETY.

A good number of the county physicians were in attendance on the meeting of the Marion County Medical Association, which met at Dr. Izlar's office yesterday afternoon.

An election of officers for the new year took place. The following officers were elected:

President—W. V. Newsom.  
First vice-president—D. A. Smith.

Second vice-president—T. J. Myers.

Secretary—R. P. Izlar.  
Treasurer—W. R. O. Veal.

Among the papers read and discussed was one by Dr. Newsom on Appendicitis, and one by Dr. S. H. Blitch on Collitis.

Several resolutions were adopted.

The society visited Dr. R. D. Thompson, an honorary member, who is confined to his bed.

Dr. Newsom, as president, delivered his annual address on the History of Medicine.

Upon request by the society short, spirited addresses were delivered by Hon. John G. Reardon, Judge Bullock, C. L. Bittinger, Dr. Andersen, L. J. Brumby, and Dr. Izlar.

Late in the evening the society adjourned to the Montezuma, where a bountiful oyster supper was served to the society and its invited guests, and ample justice was done to the meal.

Rev. J. G. Law invoked the blessing of the Supreme being on the meeting, and it stood adjourned.

The following parties left for Atlanta today by the F. C. & P.: W. W. Ciyatt and wife, Mrs. J. G. Reardon, D. A. Miller, jr., Messrs. Atkinson and Wade of the McCarthy store, Rev. C. M. Gray, wife and son, and Mr. Richards of the Sand-dodger Shoe Company.

If you want to see a pretty display of Handkerchiefs and Neckties, examine J. A. Rowell's show window, and see a truly artistic display arranged by the expert window decorators, Pat Birdsey and Clarence Neely, with the name J. A. Rowell beautifully worked in neckties in all colors of the rainbow.

Alfred Ayer of Lake Weir owns a large vegetable farm at McIntosh, in this county. He has a fine cabbage crop coming on. He writes us that the cold made his cabbage wilt some, but that most of them will come out all right.

The Covenant Building and Loan association will pay you 8 per cent for the use of your money, or loan you theirs at 6 per cent. Which do you prefer? M. M. Little will explain to you.

Philip Brown, the popular manager of the Ocala house, has just returned from a business trip to Tampa. Mr. Brown says the house cannot possibly be gotten ready to open by the 15th.

For Rent.—A ten-room house. Hot and cold bath, two blocks from square. Apply to H. G. Haycraft at city ticket office of Plant System.

## Additional Locals.

Mrs. W. T. Sylvester of Jacksonville is visiting her son, John Sylvester, of this place.

Fine fresh water fish today on ice at L. S. Black's, stall No. 11, City Market.

Come to the new armory tonight and dance with the masked senoritas and mademoiselles.

Send your carpets to the Ocala Steam Laundry and have them cleaned, which is cheaper than to buy new ones.

Some don't like the new way of having a "dead line" fifteen feet in front of the voting place.

Portraits in all styles, and photographs from the card cameo to life size, at Gottlieb's. Studio opposite Montezuma Hotel.

R. B. Stripling, the popular merchant of Anthony, is in the city and says he can't do without the STAR.

We are partial to China Goods, therefore bought a large job that we offer to our customers at very low prices. The Bazar Store.

Miss Barco and friend, of Crystal River, were in the city today and left by the Plant System for Atlanta.

We have on exhibition the largest line of Christmas and Holiday Goods ever brought to Ocala. The Bazar Store.

The family of A. J. Leavengood have gone to Cocanut Grove, on the Indian River, where they will make their future home.

Dolls! Dolls!! Dolls!!! All our Dolls are displayed and you can look them over before the holiday rush. The Bazar Store.

You are cross. Perhaps your feet are pinched by ill fitting shoes. Get a comfortable pair from Rowell and be good-natured again.

C. O. Codrington, editor of the DeLand Weekly News, was married in that city the other day. Our best wishes go out to our brother.

All patrons of the Ocala Steam Laundry are invited to visit on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and see how laundry work is done.

Two cases in mayor's court of Marti City—W. Jackson for disorderly conduct, dismissed, and H. Martin for assault, \$5 and cost or ten days in jail.

The indications up to going to press are that the following candidates will be elected: Reardon, McConnell, Green, Livingston, Carmacle and Giles.

If you want a first class turnout, either saddle horse, buggy or carriage, at reasonable prices, call at E. B. Richardson's stables, and he will accommodate you.

Miss Sallie Whitfield, who has been visiting Misses Dora and Daisy Dekle of Thomasville, Ga., is expected home today. Her friends will accompany her for a protracted visit.

\$16,500.37 paid to 44 members by the National Protective Legion on Oct. 16, 1895. Their coupons having matured for the first five years period, They Won While Living.

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